My friend's a computer hacker, but in school everybody said he was a slacker He writes science fiction novels He builds hotels and villages from cola bottles

He does equations just for fun Eats low carb ice cream with his mum Sews cub-scout badges on his sweater

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He stays up all night playing tetris
Asteroids, Pacman, written on his games to get list
Wasted nights spent up in his bedroom,
Tough times, long nights, must have been a lot to get through

He's getting sharp pains in his wrist In his world girlfriends don't exist Can't even get an add on 'My Space'

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He's the one all alone in despair
He's the one who thinks life isn't fair
He's the one sitting right over there
He's the lonely guy, on the side, looking kind of shy
You could see him ride, passing by, on the pedal bike
He's a funny type, kinda like Napoleon Dynamite

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